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Her Mining Industry Reflected in Large Bank Deposits—Lead Ore in Trigg County—Our Two Railroad Spurs for Ore Hauling.

GAMBLING ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE

The increase of cash deposits in our two Marion banks reflect in a very positive manner the general prosperity that our county of Crittenden enjoys. The capitalization of these banks is small compared with the great volume of business transacted. The Marion Bank, with a capital of \$20,000, earned the last fiscal year something over 30 per cent, and will from the present outlook increase that earning materially the present year. The last sale of its stock at \$240 per share of \$100 shows the trend of events so far as its management and financial status is concerned.

Near Gracey, in Trigg county, and but a short, pleasant ride from Cerulean Springs, a most promising vein of galena—lead ore—is being prospected by Mr. J. J. Boynton of Princeton. In the original shaft, which is down some 40 feet, a rather remarkable body of lead ore has been laid bare. This vein is very similar in make-up to the more prominent lead mines of the southwest, differing only in its being vertical or in a fissure as distinguished from the horizontal or blanket deposits of Missouri. The lead ore was encountered in rather large masses, next to the hanging wall, at about 8 feet depth. This solid galena has increased in width and con-

tinued the entire distance, and at 40 feet beside the solid galena there is fully 40 inches of disseminated lead ore in a yellow or carbonate of lead dirt. This disseminated ore is in particles from the size of a buckshot to a large sized marble, and we should judge could be separated from the dirt by simply using a screen.

This vein of ore is not far from Hopkinsville, a city that has given several of its best business men to us. Hopkinsville is to be congratulated over the discovery if its citizens are at all alive to the very great importance of the lead industry.

The gambling game that has been in progress on the New York Stock Exchange for some months past does not seem to have the least effect upon the legitimate industries of the country. The time has passed when this faro game, with engraved certificates as "chips," is looked upon by genuine merchants as anything but a game of chance with a "crooked dealer" behind the layout. Indeed, the New York stock exchange has fallen into disrepute, and whether stocks are up or down the producers and manufacturers of America care but little, regarding the Pierpont Morgans, the Gates', father and son, and the whole raft of lesser fry with an indifference that savors strongly of contempt.

Out at the Farmer property, operated by the Henderson company, carbonate of zinc in the second opening south of the pond is exceedingly strong. An open cut possibly 25 feet long and 20 feet deep carries a body of carbonate that exceeds anything in magnitude in the district, with the possible exception of the initial work on the Old Jim. This cut is some 20 feet deep, the breast of ore in the south end at the top being four feet, rapidly widening as depth was made, and shows 12 feet at the bottom. The side hill on which this cut was made leads into still higher ground and every probability points to a very extensive body as the ore veins widen rapidly southward.

The attempt of the miners to organize a labor union at Rosi Claire was met by Capt. Thomas, superintendent of the mine, by a "lockout." The property is now idle, except that the water is kept pumped from the shafts. Some 60 employees are resting on their oars awaiting the result of the usual backing and filling between labor and capital,

Last Saturday there was paid over the counters of our Marion banks, in sums ranging from \$5 to \$60, something in excess of \$19,000. This is but one of the many paydays that have become common in this city. This money permeates to every corner of the county, being received for mining ore, transportation of ores, and the various branches of the mining industry. Two companies only were represented in this distribution of cash. There is scarcely a Monday or Saturday during the year that some one more of our mining companies do not utilize in paying their labor rolls.

The Lucile mining company are running a level on their vein of fluor spar and zinc ore at a depth of 115 feet. Several cars of fluor spar have recently been shipped from this property, the zinc ore being piled up awaiting the proper machinery for its concentration. With stoping ground opened the yield of ore should be materially augmented and the value of the property decidedly increased. Its situation on the railroad near the Marion station gives this mine most decided advantages, in the matter of transportation for the present at least, over nearly all of our productive properties.

The early building of two spurs by the I. C. railroad through the productive mining regions of this and Livingston county is practically assured. The route taken by one will be from Mexico, a station some eight miles south of Marion, touching at the Hodge mine, the Stevens fire clay deposit, and the Cullen mine, the terminus being Salem. The other will run from Marion down through the Reed Mining company's property, to the Columbia mine, Crittenden Springs, and the Old Jim and Lady Farmer mines.

The Columbia mine is working to the full capacity of its concentrating plant, and is turning out some four tons of high grade zinc blende and one ton of lead per day. The weekly output will amount to some eleven hundred dollars, or at the rate of \$57,000 per annum.

The Pittsburg Mining company working the Ebbie Hodge vein of fluor spar has already shipped two car loads of that material and have 50,000 to 60,000 pounds at their shipping point, ready to load. They are making deliveries at Crayeville,

Major Clement, it is understood has under consideration a bid for 49 per cent. of the Clement mine, near Crittenden Springs, made by a company of gentlemen interested in this county but residing in Morganfield. The proposition covers the entire mining, separating and smelting of the Clement ore, and will necessitate the expenditure of several hundred thousand dollars.

Mr. Joel Farmer exhibits handsome high grade sulphide of zinc from the opening near Carreille, operated by the Ohio Valley Mining company. Mr. Farmer states that in the bottom of the shaft the vein of ore is eleven feet in width. A concentrating plant ought to be established on such a showing and shipments made before the Christmas holidays.

The Crittenden Coal and Coke company are pushing their work at Sturgis, with three eight hour shifts of miners. The tipple is well under way towards completion, and the possibilities of getting the entire works in a productive shape at an earlier date than Manager Sayre hoped for is very promising.

The Holly mine, of the Mineral Point Zinc company at its extreme depth, has increased its pay streak to fully three feet of zinc sulphide, galena and fluor spar. Mr. Persons, the superintendent, is naturally becoming enthusiastic over deep mining in this district.

COL. BELKNAP.

In his speeches Col. Morris B. Belknap, the Republican candidate for Governor, has made and is making a serious reflection upon the women and the men of Kentucky, who are known the world over as the truest, the best, the most hospitable and the most chivalrous. In his opening speech at Munfordsville Col. Belknap made this startling statement:

"Our young men are now hearing what manner of men these old time Kentuckians were, and from them comes the demand upon us for civic conditions that will restore to them their birthright. We can not stop our ears to the call, and with us now lies the responsibility of making this State a fit place for our sons and daughters to live in."

This statement shows that Col. Belknap has indeed a poor opinion of the people of his own State. He says that Kentucky is no fit State in which to rear boys and girls. Col. Belknap is probably the only person who has ever made such an expression concerning the old Commonwealth.

The citizens of this State have always prided themselves upon their "old Kentucky home" and Col. Belknap is the first person on record who ever said that Kentucky was no place to rear boys and girls.

GRAND WELCOME

To Governor Beckham at Marion Friday, Oct. 16th.

Committee of Arrangement.

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Committee on Reception and Entertainment.

J. H. Orme, Ollie Tucker, J. W. Wilson, C. S. Nunn, J. W. Blue, J. G. Rochester, Will Clifton, Tom McConnell, Wm. Fowler, E. J. Hayward, S. Gugenheim, Dr. R. L. Moore, J. B. Kevil, Lawrence Cruse, Ed. Flanary, Jim Rankin, J. B. Champion, Tom Champion, Dr. Smith, Newt Brady, Tom Cochran, Dr. Joe Clark, Selden Hughes, H. M. Cook, Frank Dodge.

GREAT RAPIDITY.

In Track Laying All Along Tennessee Central Line.

Two weeks ago, when General Manager Clarke announced that trains would be running between Hopkinsville and Nashville on the Tennessee Central railroad, the statement was not taken seriously. But two weeks of work has greatly changed the outlook and the announcement now that an extension of five days is all that is asked for.

To begin with, the track from this end has been laid seven miles to a point on the Wheeler farm. Six miles was laid last week and at this rate Oak Grove will be reached in five more working days. But the road is advancing from the other end and it is probable that the two ends will meet this side of Oak Grove. At any rate the whole line to Clarksville will be laid by the 15th. The cut between Oak Grove is getting along rapidly and will not delay much. It is officially announced from Nashville that the bridge over the Cumberland river below Nashville will be completed so that trains may be operated between Nashville and Clarksville by Oct 20.

This being true, and making all allowances necessary for accidents and for bad weather, we may confidently expect to see through trains running from here to Nashville by Nov. 1.

The bridge over the Canton pike near this city is now up and the approaches re-graded. As soon as the elevated roadbed is metalized the pike will be ready for travel over the crossing.

At the Cox mill crossing a temporary bridge spans the turnpike, which will later be replaced by a permanent one.



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COLORADO LETTER.

Former Kentucky Girl Writes Interestingly of the Wonders of Colorado.

To one who has spent their entire life in old Kentucky and used to the sameness of scenes and associations, the change when one is landed at the foot of the snow capped peaks of the Rockies is awe inspiring. I left Marion in the afternoon of August 8th under the heat of the sun that sent its rays down as though it was near the tropics, and the seeming sameness continued while I was traveling through Indiana, Illinois and Missouri until I gained my first glimpse of the snow capped peaks at the foot of which was to be my future home. Rared up as I had been on the "old farm" under the watchful care of fond, loving and indulgent parents, you can imagine how hard it was to break these ties of child and womanhood, and make a trip alone of nearly 1,400 miles, to marry the man I loved. And when that face came to view under the glare of the electric lights at the Union depot, Pueblo, Colorado, on Monday night at 9:30, August 10th, I knew my long journey was near an end. In less than half an hour I was the bride of a man who has been raised up among these rugged mountains, and who took pride in pointing out the places of interest to me. The next day we took an afternoon train for Salida, a hundred miles farther west, and I just know I never will again see such awe inspiring sights as I witnessed as we passed through the Royal Gorge of the Arkansas river just west of Canyon City. Here the canyon narrows down until it is so narrow that in one place there was not room enough to build a railroad, and the track is suspended in the air by iron trusses reaching from one wall to the other. The walls of the canyon here are perpendicular, reaching up from the river bed from one to two thousand feet high. The track was as crooked as a grape vine. We had secured a good position to view the canon and watched the engine as it rounded the curves, and I thought my time had come sure when that engine would come to view from around some curve and seemingly shoot into the mountain again. And as we neared Salida that range of mountains that divides the waters of the Atlantic and Pacific looked as though they were not to exceed a mile away. Yet, I was told they were 12 or 15 miles distant. And now as I sit here in my little mountain home looking out of the window to the west, those snow capped peaks of the Rockies, which seem to be only a stone's throw away are from 25 to 40 miles distant and you can hardly imagine my delight in the early morning to look out to the west and see the sun shining on those peaks with a glow of brilliancy long before it casts its rays over the beautiful little mining town of Turret—my home. We are coming back there some day, then I can tell my dear old Kentucky friends in person what the pen fails to picture.

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The civil service commission has just received a call from the Philippine government for 150 male teachers, with salaries as follows: Twenty-five at \$1,200; seventy at \$1,000, and fifty at \$900 per annum. It is desired to secure these teachers without unnecessary delay, and an examination will be held in Kentucky on October 19 and 20, at Lexington, Louisville and Paducah, and at Evansville, Ind.

Teachers appointed are eligible for promotion to the higher grades of the service, the salaries ranging from \$900 to \$2,000 for teachers and from \$1,500 to \$2,500 for division superintendents. The commission suggests that those who apply for this examination should be devoted to their profession and conscientious, energetic and successful workers.

For application blanks and further information concerning the scope of the examination, transportation, conditions of employment, etc., applicant should apply to the United States civil service commission, Washington, D. C.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed at Woods & Orme drugstore.

UP TO THE PRESIDENT.

Of course there will be a "next treaty" with Colombia for an isthmian canal. It is hardly to be assumed that the President will fail to carry out the mandate of the Spooner act, which directs him under the conditions that have arisen, to reopen negotiations with Nicaragua and Costa Rica for the acquirement of the right of way for a canal in the Nicaragua route. As Mr. Watterson himself says, "time's up, Mr. President." Failure to reopen negotiations with Nicaragua and Costa Rica would indicate that Mr. Watterson's accusation may not be without foundation. Of course, some of the Senators who have advocated the selection of the Panama route for the proposed canal will indignantly deny that Mr. Watterson's charge has any foundation in fact. The best way for them to show that they are without sin in this matter is to put no obstruction in the way of carrying out the instructions of the Spooner act. But so far as that act is concerned, it is the President's business to put it into effect. He has been instructed by Congress as to what to do, and he should go ahead and do it. He will put himself in a bad light if he does not.—Rochester Union and Advertiser.

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Master Your Own Business.

Franklin Farrel, Jr., of Ansonia, Conn., has gone to work in his father's foundry at a salary of \$4 per week. His father is a millionaire tool manufacturer, and Frank has begun at the bottom as a tool sharpener. Being asked why he, a millionaire's son, has gone to work at manual labor, he replied: "Wealth is no excuse for idleness."

"But why didn't you go into your father's office instead of a greasy shop at \$4 a week?" The young man said he wanted to learn the trade before he attempted to direct its operations. "The men who make the inventions, the men who make it possible for America to beat the world in manufacturing are the practical mechanics."

He was further asked how it felt for a university graduate and a man of wealth to take orders from a mechanic. "How shall I give orders some day if I do not take them now? Would General Grant have been able to command men had he not, when a young soldier, groomed his own horse?"

Splendid! The industrial supremacy of this country is in no danger as long as the Franklin Farrels are engaged. This young American is not above his business. He will master it in all details, so as when he is at the head of it the business will not master him.

In this connection an incident of J. J. Hill, the railroad magnate. A wreck occurred on his road the other day. Mr. Hill was in his special car with other officials. He took off his coat and assumed command of the wrecking operations. He not only directed, but heaved with the crew putting his shoulder to the obstacles. The wreck was soon cleared away.

Mr. Hill knew what to do. He had mastered his business. It is said he knows more about his line of railroad than all the other officials put together. In consequence he has introduced economies which make it possible to pay dividends where other railroad men said dividends are impossible.

Master your own business young man! If a millionaire's son can

not afford to take chances with out knowing every detail of his factory, how can you, a poor boy, hope to succeed by less energetic effort?

If J. J. Hill, with all his money, must know everything about his business, how can you hope to get on by slip-shod methods? The old law of the survival of the fittest holds. The ignorant and inefficient go to the rear. The masters go to the front.—St. Louis Chronicle.

Kentucky News.

Lang Bros., Druggists, Paducah, Ky., write: "We sell more of Dr. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure than all other remedies combined, having retailed over 700 bottles in one season. The physicians here prescribe it and persons who use it once will have no other." Children like it.

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SHOT GUN QUARANTINE.

The increase of yellow fever at Laredo, Texas, which is on the Mexican border, has become alarming. A shotgun quarantine has been established. There are many cases in Mexico, which increases the causes for precaution and for care.

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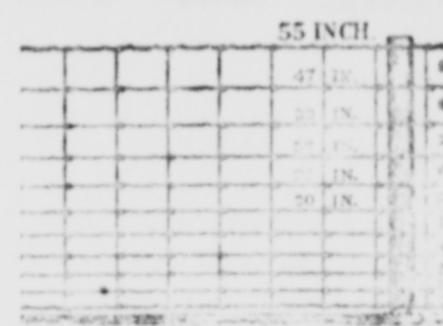
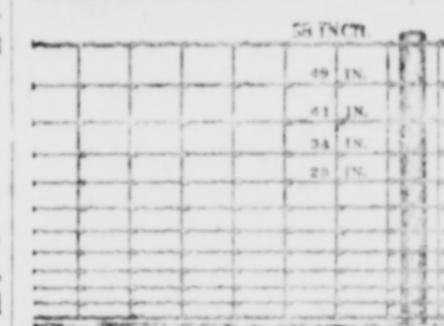
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MCD. FERGUSON.

For Circuit Judge:

J. F. GORDON, of Hopkins.

For Commonwealth's Attorney:

JOHN L. GRAYOT.

For Representative:

T. EVERETT BUTLER.

Caldwell county Democrats ought to be ashamed to hold their heads up after the election in November if they allow Judge J. F. Gordon to be beaten for circuit judge or Hon. J. L. Grayot commonwealth's attorney for Princeton district. Gordon is our neighbor and a most excellent judge.

In municipal affairs the people watch their mayor and councilmen. If the councilman is progressive and believes in public improvements, the people soon "get a move" on themselves and all are in harmony. What we want is a council that will continue the good work of street metalizing, putting in good crossings or stepping stones.

Now let the people,—the property holders—be they councilmen or otherwise, follow in the footsteps of the city and put down sidewalks where needed. Public safety and comfort demand it. Who'll be the first?

That section of Pennsylvania near Easton, and of New Jersey around Patterson and Trenton has been devastated by a flood, the like of which was never known since the days of Noah. Millions of dollars damage was done, bridges swept away, houses wrecked, and desolation widespread. The flood now is subsiding and the rainbow of hope has appeared to the stricken people.

To show the confidence which the stockholders in the Belknap Hardware Company have in Kentucky, under a Democratic administration, it may be stated that its capital stock has recently been increased from \$1,000,000 to \$2,500,000. If it had not been safe to invest in Kentucky, under a Democratic administration, such a good business man as Col. Belknap's friends claim that he is, would not have done so.

Judge Gordon is making an admirable record as circuit judge, and will be accorded a rousing majority in November. As judge of the court he does not know anybody and does not attempt to play politics. He goes right ahead about transacting the business of the court, dealing courteously but firmly with the attorneys, and forges business along. He is the right man in the right place, and the people of the district do not propose to let politics or any other consideration prevent an endorsement of his splendid record on the bench.—Hustler.

Example is followed generally. A child will do what its parent does; a daughter many times is the image of her mother, if not in face in habit and ways, and likewise a son will frequently partake of the habits of his father.

So it is in business. A clerk will follow the example of his employer. A layman will watch his pastor and will try to emulate his example.

So it is all over the world.

In municipal affairs the people watch their mayor and councilmen. If the councilman is progressive and believes in public improvements, the people soon "get a move" on themselves and all are in harmony.

What we want is a council that will continue the good work of street metalizing, putting in good crossings or stepping stones.

Now let the people,—the property holders—be they councilmen or otherwise, follow in the footsteps of the city and put down sidewalks where needed. Public safety and comfort demand it. Who'll be the first?

NEW COUNCILMEN.

As the election draws near the people should study over the question of their town trustees. It seems eminently fair for each section of the town to be represented. East Marion should be encouraged. North Marion should be recognized. West and South Marion should be still represented by a good citizen.

Marion has outgrown her present boundaries in every direction, and the corporate limits should be extended. Many of our best citizens are without the conveniences and protection which they desire, and are willing to pay for. Some people with vacant lots or unimproved property probably might say, "Let's go slow," and that's good advice and we have followed it. Marion has gone along safely. No mushroom growth but a solid, substantial growth, which the council should encourage, by extending its jurisdiction and reasuring out its protecting arms, North, East, South and West, to shelter those who have added to Marion's prosperity and population, and who will in future bear their share of its responsibilities. We need a board as progressive as the last one, who will continue the good work of street improvements started by them, and who will continue to "hold up the hands" of the "guardian of peace", and thus encourage him to continue in his work and be the feared of all evil doers. In fact every citizen of the city is interested in the council. Let's make no mistakes, but if we should decide on any changes, be sure we are right and are improving the board. The election is only three weeks off.

"Fame and fortune!" Every body is looking for them. Why do so few obtain them? For the reason that the qualifications for the desired results are left out of our lives. We use up our time in foolishness and allow others to step in and take our places and do the work we should do. Some young men and women, too, for that matter, idle away their time, when they should be busy attending to their duties or studies. Will it pay?

Mental activity is the architect which builds things in the psychic place. Whether you are aware of it or not, you are exercising this power. Every day you live you are building something about you, and time alone will disclose the nature of your work, whether it will prove to be an abode like unto a castle builded on a rock, or only the ruins of what might have been. In your case which shall it be? It rests with you to make choice.

MR. R. C. WALKER

In Colorado and is Pleased With The Country.

TRAVELED OVER THE ENTIRE STATE

Every day numerous inquiries regarding Mr. R. C. Walker, who is traveling the West, are made, and his hundreds of friends throughout this section of the State are interested in his movements. Mr. Walker has been in Colorado five weeks and has visited every section of this wonderful State, and in every letter to the relatives at home he has spoken highly of the beauty and richness of the country, and its marvelous climate. He thinks the State has a wonderful future. Indications of prosperity and progress are to be seen on every hand. Mr. Walker and Mr. John T. Franks have made Denver their headquarters, and have made return trips from that city, sometimes accompanied by their old friend and resident of Marion, Mr. J. H. Bilyard, who now resides in Denver. They visited many splendid towns and cities in the Southern and Northern portion of the State, and were favorably impressed with nearly all of them. Last week Mr. Walker left Mr. Franks at Denver and made a tour to the Western portion of the State. At Glenwood Springs he decided to visit some frontier towns, somewhat off his regular route, and he tells of this trip in the following, a portion of a letter to his family.

MEEKER, CO., Oct. 6, 1903.

New Castle, on the Grande, below Glenwood is now a deserted town, and could not be considered as a possibility in my search for a home. The next town is Rifle—a village of 500 people, and not inviting. Here I took the stage for a 50 mile drive across the Rockies. Left Rifle at 1 P. M., and out into the wilds we went, along an old stage road, here and there was a small ranch with its little cabin and a few cattle; the road follows a canyon for miles, perhaps a mile wide at some places and then narrowing down to a few hundred yards. A few miles out I saw my first coyote, and a gentleman along got a shot at him. About night fall we could hear them barking. One of the horses gave out and we got out to walk over the divide or highest point on the route. The passengers insisted that I stay in and do the driving, but feeling so well I tried walking; in a few minutes my heart was out of place and I was panting like a lizard in August. I then got in and did the driving to the top, where we were 9000 feet high, and then about level for 4 miles, then down grade. We stopped at a mountain house, or "dinner house" as they call it, and took supper. After chatting around the stove, into the black, cold night we resumed the journey, overcoats buttoned. Big Navajo blankets wrapped around our feet and legs we started on the 24 mile drive. Soon the wind lay and the brightest moon I ever saw threw her silvery sheen over the peaks and rocks that lined our road on either side. Everything was as still and noiseless as the distant stars, yet nature asleep in these mighty mountains speaks a language loud, sweet and sonorous as new year's bells. A feeling of awe that taught my pen to stammer, came over me. I took but little of the salt of the imagination to people the mountains and little valleys again with the Indians and buffalo of a few years ago. "Now watch for deer," said the driver. Here is where they cross coming from the higher latitudes where they stay in summer. It was a great ride for this tenderfoot. At 11 o'clock we reached the cozy little town, nestled away here in the valley of one of the prettiest little rivers I ever saw. We could see

Think a Fight is On.

Fifteen hundred Republican operators have been invited to take part in the Ohio campaign. Senator Hanna seems to feel that reinforcements are necessary to defeat Tom Johnson.

New Mining Corporation.

The Mountain Lead, Zinc and Fluor Spar Co. has been incorporated, with a capital of \$150,000, for mining purposes, by J. L. Friedman, W. D. Greer, William Marble, G. C. Hughes and others, of Paducah.

It is understood that this company was formed for the purpose of mining on a portion of the Wilson lands east of Crittenden Springs. Some work has already been done on a very pronounced zinc and lead vein on that property, and two shafts are being sunk.

Don't Waste Hickory Timber.

The rapidly diminishing supply of hickory timber, which causes so much alarm among manufacturers of hickory products, is one to interest our people in the preservation of their hickory trees and encourage the growth of others. Recently at a meeting of manufacturers various ways and means were discussed, and it was found that the association believes that if the situation was impressed on the people who own it the slasher and waste of it would stop.

Nothing is known that will take the place of hickory, and it has advanced from time to time, until now it brings for green sawed \$30 per thousand feet.

During the present year hickory products have increased in value 100 per cent. So again we say—take care of all your hickory timber.

Republican Speaking Saturday.

One of the largest crowds of the season was here Saturday, it being pay day for several of the mines and also the announced day for Judge Pratt and Hon. W. C. Owens to speak, which was heralded all over the county. Judge Pratt spoke at the court house to a large crowd. Mr. Owens addressed the crowd at the opera house and it was full to overflowing. Both gentlemen were given a respectful hearing and their speeches were well received by their audiences.

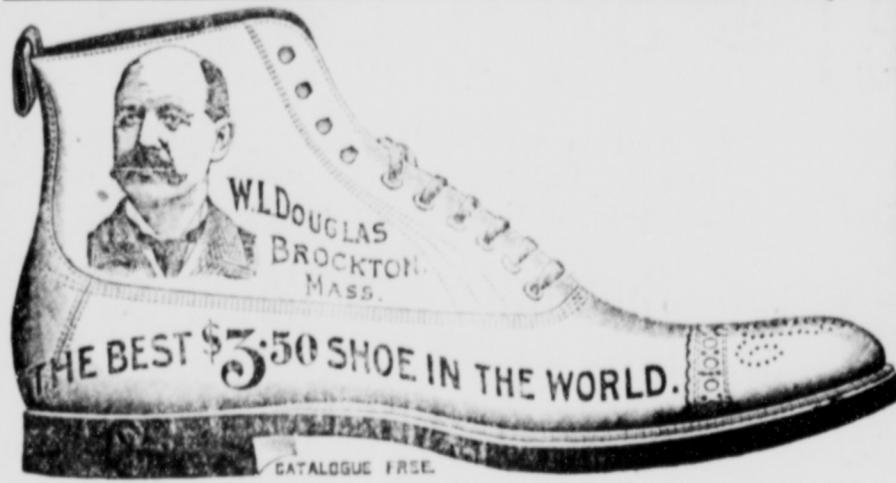
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Pay Your City Tax.

The six per cent penalty, will be added to all unpaid city tax on Nov. 1, 1903. Pay now and save cost. The city needs the money and you must settle by Nov. 1st. A. S. CANNAN, Collector.

It's Your Fault!

If You Don't Take Advantage of the Many Values Being Offered by us.



Cloaks and Jackets

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Latest Novelty in Dress Goods.
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ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1903

Fresh oysters at Cophers.

J. T. Lynn, of Tolu, was here Monday.

J. J. Bennett, of Kelsey, was here Monday.

Jas. B. Carter, of Levias, was in town Saturday.

Dr. John Immer makes chronic diseases a specialty.

Miss Gilbert, of Paducah, is visiting friends in the city.

Fine jersey cow for sale at reasonable price.—Walter Walker.

When in town and want something good to eat, call on Copher.

W. D. Cain, the popular merchant of Blackford, was here Monday.

We handle a select line of staple and fancy groceries, the best and cheapest in Marion.

Gov. Beckham spoke at Brandenburg Monday the 12th to the second largest crowd ever seen in the capitol of Meade county, and much enthusiasm was displayed.

Rev. J. F. Price attended the meeting of Princeton Presbytery at Sharon, Ky., last week. He is in a meeting at Sullivan this week.

Mrs. Sue Hodge Adams is breaking up house keeping and will leave soon for Princeton and Hopkinsville to visit relatives. She requests that those who have books borrowed from her will please return them at once.

Copher has employed a fine baker of 20 years experience.

Hay the sweet kind,
Bran the good kind,
Corn the sound kind,
Flour the Tolu kind,

Try us and we'll think you are kind.

Yeakey & Travis.

H. J. Sanders, of Henderson, an expert tinsorial artist has been engaged by Wm. Wooldridge for the third chair in his "Parlor Barbershop." Business at this shop is always on the move. A man to get a shave or hair cut there most any day must be on time, or wait and "take milturn."

Rev. C. L. Gray left Tuesday for Salem. He will be here again Friday and stay until noon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus D. Summerville, of the Mattoon country, were here Thursday with their little son.

What a treat to put your feet under Mrs. Gill's table Friday. She will serve barbecued meats of all kinds.

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Bread, rolls, cakes, pies and all kinds of fancy cakes always on hand at Copher. If you do not believe they are the best in town give them a trial and you will be convinced.

Old newspapers for sale at this office. Bundle of 20 for 5c or 6 bundles 25c.

Miss Beana Bigham is home on a visit. Her health is improved but she will not risk the rigors of a Kentucky winter, but will go south again soon, probably before Christmas.

The J. H. Walker residence on North Main street, was sold by commissioner J. G. Rochester Monday. It was purchased by Robt. Flanary who now occupies it for \$1600.

Born to the wife of C. M. Davis at Mayfield on the 6th, a fine 9 pound girl. Both mother and child are getting along nicely. Mrs. C. A. P. Taylor is with her daughter, Mrs. Davis.

WANTED:—Stove wood, 12 14 and 16 inches long, split fine, at Press office.

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We are informed that Judge Barnes, of Dycusburg, who has been quite sick, is improving. His many friends, and those of his estimable wife, will be glad to know he is on the road to a rapid recovery.

FOR SALE:—A good family horse about 8 or 9 years old; dark bay will work anywhere, and when worked regularly is perfectly gentle. Apply to R. F. Haynes.

The finest line of hand made chocolates and creams at Cophers.

FOR SALE:—A house of three rooms centrally located, good water. A bargain 2w J. W. Givens.

After bowling what's more refreshing than a glass of coco cola—always on ice, R. F. Haynes.

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Duke Farris, a bright Salem boy is on a vacation and visiting his old home and friends. He is now located in the coke regions of Pennsylvania and has a fine position at Uniontown, Pa. That city is one of Carnegie's creations and surrounded by the great furnaces of Carnegie, Phipps & Co., where thousands of laborers are employed and is a hustling, busy city.

Dr. Immer's method of diagnosis shows clearly the cause of diseases also predicts their approach in which all methods absolutely fail. He who knows the cause is thereby master also of the cure. Any woman who continues to submit to the crude, unnatural and wholly objectionable method of local examination was not brought back altho he was ready and willing to come so we are informed. He is still in Evansville and has been all the time. In his case and also John Burges, it now seems a case of old dog tray who got into bad company.

C. C. COOK,
ROY DANIELS HELD OVER.

The examining trial of Roy Daniels last Friday resulted in his being held over to the grand jury in bond of \$250. He was charged with passing a forged check on C. J. Haury, and at his trial pleaded guilty and we understand his attorneys will plead insanity. He exonerated John Burges and he was released. Cecil Young whom he also implicated was not brought back altho he was ready and willing to come so we are informed. He is still in Evansville and has been all the time. In his case and also John Burges, it now seems a case of old dog tray who got into bad company.

Felix Cox or Mrs. M. E. Croft, Marion, Ky.

A CARD OF THANKS.

When my father, D. H. Oliver, was stricken with paralysis last summer in Marion and carried to the Gill House, I was much affected and distressed at his suffering and all the kind acts of friends and strangers at that time were noticed by me and highly appreciated. I did not say much at the time as the hand of death soon relieved him and ended his suffering, but I intended to speak to each one, I find I can't do that but will thank all and ask God to bless you, especially Mrs. Gill, who was tireless in her attention, and Mr. R. C. Walker, my father's employer, who did all a kind thoughtful man could do. May heaven bless all the good people who came to my aid in that hour of trouble.

TWO GRAND AND GOOD OLD MEN.

Uncle Harvey Travis, of the Tradewater country, near Crowell postoffice, visited the Press office Wednesday. He is rich in reminiscences of the days of long ago and talks entertainingly of the Mexican war and other events of that period. He was born in 1816, Dec. 5th, in this county, but at that time it was part of Livingston county. He joined the Masons Aug. 3, 1839 at Princeton, the lodge being Clinton lodge. He was a charter member of Bigham Lodge No. 256 of this place. His son, Mr. A. H. Travis, is our jailer and one of our best citizens. His sister, Mrs. Price, also a citizen of the county, is in her 91st year, a noble woman and the mother of Rev. J. F. Price. Uncle Harvey's ancestors came here in 1796 and located at a point 18 miles from Salem, their nearest trading point, 25 miles from Princeton and 35 miles from Shawneetown, and many were the times he covered these dreary trails when the family stood in need of any article of merchandise.

Another old timer who paid the Press office a pleasant call this week was Uncle John Fowler, who has passed his 88th milestone. He is hale and hearty and in good spirits as is his wont, and we hope he will live to round out the century. He was born on Crooked creek in this county, then Livingston, on the 15th day of September 1815. His fore-fathers came to this section in 1798 to 1800, uncle John not being certain as to the time. Uncle John was never married but he says accounts for his longevity. He is the uncle of Wm. Fowler, the banker.

The aged and young come out and exchange views and spelling. Over 12 years old, then you can help the grade get good things, 15c worth. Under 12, only a dime. Come.

Disastrous Fire at Joy.

The general store of L. Bisop at Joy was burned at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning, the 13th. The loss is about \$2500, with no insurance.

The stock consisted of dry goods, clothing, groceries, etc., and very little was saved. Joy is a prosperous little hamlet midway between Carrsville and Hampton on the road from Marion and Lola to Golconda, and has a mill and several stores. The PRESS is sorry to hear the misfortune which has befallen the place, and trusts that Phoenix like she will come up from the ashes.

DEEDS RECORDED.

T. N. Bracy to J. Handy Moore, 392½ acres on Hurricane creek for \$325.

E. M. Woodside to R. W. McEwen, land on waters of Mill creek for \$500.

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FOR RENT OR LEASE.

The Geo. T. Croft farm opposite Elizabethtown, Ill., on the Ohio river, for a term of one to three years; 550 acres, 320 of it in the river bottom, 130 on upland to be cultivated, 100 in pasture; two good residences and several tenant houses; all necessary barns and out buildings; ice house and all conveniences. Possession Jan. 1st.

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SEASONABLE RECEIPTS.

DON'T IRON FLANNELS.

It is a mistake to iron flannels if pulled out evenly while on the line so they dry in good shape, and if, when dry, they are folded and put in the bottom of the clothes basket, and the clothes piled on them, they will be nice and smooth enough to suit anybody but a crank. Hot irons take the life out of flannel.

MARSHMALLOW CAKE

Cream a cupful of butter with two of sugar, and when smooth and light, add the well beaten yolk of six eggs, a cup of milk and two cups of prepared flour, alternately with the stiffened whites of the six eggs. If the batter is too thin add a little more flour. Flavor with Manilla and bake in layer tins.

A DAINTY DESERT FOR WINTER

Make some lemon gelatine in the usual way on the day before and when ready to serve place three lady fingers in each fruit saucer, put one heaping tablespoonful of the gelatine on top of them and cover with whipped cream.

PICKLED GREEN CORN.

Free the corn ear from all husks and silks, cut from the cob with a sharp knife and pack in jars, about two or three parts of corn to one of salt. Put a weight on it and keep the corn under the brine it makes. Use no water when putting up the corn. When wanted for use take out the desired quantity, soak over night and cook. Keep a cloth tied over the jar to exclude insects.

CHEESE PANCAKES.

Rasp some Parmesan cheese and put it upon a plate with a little water, or white wine, seasoning it with pepper and salt, grated nutmeg, minced parsley and chopped chives. Add to it a lump of butter the size of an egg. Put the dish over a stove: when cheese begins to melt stir it with a silver fork, meanwhile beat well the white of an egg (you may use the yolk if fancied) and stir it into the cream. Dip some sippets of bread into rich butter, fry them and lay them around the dish. Squeeze over the whole half a lemon and the juice of an orange and dust lightly with cayenne. Place tufts of green parsley here and there. —Louisa E. Smith.

FERTILIZER.

We now have four car loads of the noted Fox Fertilizer at Marion and Crayneville, for wheat and grasses at prices the farmers can afford to pay. Call on Tom Dillins at Marion, or G. H. Crider at Crayneville, who will deliver the same. —Adams Bros.

The Readers of This Paper

Have a rich treat in store. We have purchased the serial rights of the late MAURICE THOMPSON's thrilling story

Alice of Old Vincennes

CARE OF THE HAIR.

The combing of the hair must be done with a large comb, with widely separated teeth, and not with a fine comb. Always use a shell comb and beware of bone and celluloid combs, which burn and cut the hair.

In the morning and at night after being combed, the hair must be brushed with a rather hard brush, the bristles of which can penetrate the hair without bending.

Abstain from using metal brushes, as they irritate the scalp and tear the hair.

Brush the hair always each lock separately, but from top to bottom, and make the brushing last until it becomes brilliant.

To sleep divide your hair into small plaits, and braid and let it hang down your back.

Never be in a hurry when dressing your hair, and never pull or tug at it.

Avoid a too uniform style of head dress, too strained and too tight, which prevents the air from penetrating to the scalp, as this often provokes falling out of the hair.

Avoid heavy head dresses, the making of which necessitates a great quantity of hair pins and combs, as well as coiffures which imprison the hair by tightening the hair by tightening the hair.

Strength and vigor come or good food, duly digested. "Force," a ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, invigorates.

ULBS.

Bulbs do not do their best when planted immediately around the roots of trees, but they can be set close up to the stonework of the house with good effect. They will also form pleasing borders for board and other walks and can be made to follow the curved outline of a carriage drive. A narrow margin of lawn should be left between the driveway and the beds. In warm, gravelly soil on the south side of a house the bulbs will begin to grow sooner than if planted elsewhere. It is best to give plenty of sunlight, although if the north side of a dwelling is better in other respects, plant the bulbs there. They may not be so early in flowering, but perhaps this will be an advantage.—October Woman's Home Companion.

If the United States government, in co-operation with the states and local communities, would build great smooth highways, making the wonders and beauties of our great west easily accessible to tourists, in a few years the tide of travel would be turned westward. Not only would millions of dollars be spent annually by Americans in Europe be kept at home, but other millions would be brought to our shores by tourists from foreign lands.

But the natural attractions of our country are not the only things which are made inaccessible by the lack of good roads. Our places of historic interest are mostly in the same category. Take, for instance, Monticello, home and tomb of the immortal Jefferson. Few Americans even know where it is, much less visit it. Monticello is only three miles from the city of Charlottesville, Va., which is on two great trunk lines. Why, then, is it so little known?

Because three miles of about as bad road as can be imagined lie between it and the railway station. One cannot travel over that narrow, steep, rough, muddy country road without a feeling of shame. At present an effort is being made by a small band of patriotic men and women to build what is known as the Jefferson Memorial road, to make Monticello accessible to the public, but only a beginning has been made, and they are finding it uphill work to raise funds to complete the task.

But, after all, the encouragement of travel is not the most important reason for the building of good roads. They are absolutely necessary for the prosperity and happiness of the people.

The era of railroad building on a large scale is practically at an end. In the course of commercial and industrial development we have reached a point where the great problem of improving the common roads must be faced. We can no longer treat it as a local question. We have tried for three-quarters of a century, and in nearly every section of the country the miserable results are apparent.

The young man felt it his duty to correct her, saying that the name was pronounced "Byard."

A few days later he sent her a note, asking for the privilege of entertaining her and some friends who were visiting her from the West by taking them to dinner at his club. In the reply that she wrote she said that she would have been pleased to accept his invitation, only the messenger he had "Hayard" seemed very "Tayard" and had tarried upon the way, so that she had entered into another engagement before the note reached her. However, if he "desayard" her company at some future time she would be "alfayard" glad to hear from him again.

Don't Play Jokes on the Old Lady.

If Bailey of Britt, Ia., doesn't look out he will gain a national reputation as a colossal liar. Here is a whopper from the Britt Tribune:

"A Garney lady took her false teeth out and laid them on the center table one night recently, when her husband, to play a joke on her substituted a horse shoe in place of them. She wore the horseshoe all the morning, complaining that her teeth didn't 'fit,' and she only discovered the change by the wide gash the toe cak made when she bit a biscuit."

WATCH FOR THE FIRST CHAPTERS

EUROPE'S HIGHWAYS

FOREIGN COUNTRIES MAKING A BIG PROFIT FROM GOOD ROADS.

Lack of Them in America Costing Us Many Millions Annually—Improvement of the Common Roads Not a Local Question.

It is claimed by some that the building of roads is strictly a local matter, that the benefits are entirely local and that the whole expense should be borne by the local communities. This is not the view taken in the most progressive countries of Europe. There the building and maintenance of roads, are important functions of government. France, Germany and Switzerland are covered by a network of the finest roads in the world. As a result the western half of Europe is the pleasure ground of the world. The revenue derived from tourists is one of the principal sources of income for people of nearly all classes. But without these good roads this revenue could never be secured.

The aim of the people in those countries is to make their grand mountains, their beautiful lakes, their lovely valleys, their castles and monuments easily accessible by means of fine, hard, smooth roads.

What a contrast appears when we turn to our own country! We have the finest scenery in the world in the great mountains of the west, but it is practi-



ONE OF GERMANY'S GOOD ROADS.

cally inaccessible. Except as they get glimpses of it from car windows, the grandeur of our mountains and canyons and the beauty of our mountain lakes, streams and valleys are sealed book to the general traveling public. And this will always be the case so long as steep, stony mountain trails are the only means of travel beyond the railway lines. Indeed much of our finest scenery cannot be reached even by such trails.

If the United States government, in co-operation with the states and local communities, would build great smooth highways, making the wonders and beauties of our great west easily accessible to tourists, in a few years the tide of travel would be turned westward. Not only would millions of dollars be spent annually by Americans in Europe be kept at home, but other millions would be brought to our shores by tourists from foreign lands.

But the natural attractions of our country are not the only things which are made inaccessible by the lack of good roads. Our places of historic interest are mostly in the same category. Take, for instance, Monticello, home and tomb of the immortal Jefferson. Few Americans even know where it is, much less visit it. Monticello is only three miles from the city of Charlottesville, Va., which is on two great trunk lines. Why, then, is it so little known?

Because three miles of about as bad road as can be imagined lie between it and the railway station. One cannot travel over that narrow, steep, rough, muddy country road without a feeling of shame. At present an effort is being made by a small band of patriotic men and women to build what is known as the Jefferson Memorial road, to make Monticello accessible to the public, but only a beginning has been made, and they are finding it uphill work to raise funds to complete the task.

But, after all, the encouragement of travel is not the most important reason for the building of good roads. They are absolutely necessary for the prosperity and happiness of the people.

The era of railroad building on a large scale is practically at an end. In the course of commercial and industrial development we have reached a point where the great problem of improving the common roads must be faced. We can no longer treat it as a local question. We have tried for three-quarters of a century, and in nearly every section of the country the miserable results are apparent.

The young man felt it his duty to correct her, saying that the name was pronounced "Byard."

A few days later he sent her a note, asking for the privilege of entertaining her and some friends who were visiting her from the West by taking them to dinner at his club. In the reply that she wrote she said that she would have been pleased to accept his invitation, only the messenger he had "Hayard" seemed very "Tayard" and had tarried upon the way, so that she had entered into another engagement before the note reached her. However, if he "desayard" her company at some future time she would be "alfayard" glad to hear from him again.

Marketing Farm Products.

In a report of the industrial commission on the marketing and distribution of farm products the cost of hauling the products from the farms of the United States to the nearest market or railway station is given as \$900,000,000 a year. The average haul to the nearest shipping point is twelve miles, the average cost 25 cents per ton per mile, or \$3 a ton for the twelve miles. Few farmers take into consideration this item of expense. The most important factor in reducing the cost is good roads, for much larger loads can be hauled, much less time taken, and a great saving in horsepower and in the wear and tear on vehicles effected. Another important factor in favor of good roads is in being able to get produce to market during the time of high prices.

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Rev. S. J. Martin—

Marion, first, third and fourth Sunday Mornings at 11 o'clock, and evening at 7:00. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00.

Tolu, second Sunday morning and night.

Mounds, fifth Sunday.

Strangers welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. T. A. Conway—

Marion, second and fourth Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:00. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:00.

Rock Spring, first and fourth Sundays.

Strangers welcome.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Elder J. W. Flynn—

Marion, first and third Lord's Day at 11 o'clock; evenings at 7:00. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7:00.

Liberty Grove, second Sunday morning and night.

Dawson Springs, fourth Sunday morning and night.

Strangers welcome.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. J. F. Price—

Marion, first Sunday at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:00.

Prayer meeting Monday evening at 7:00.

Shiloh (Lisman), second Sunday morning and night.

Sullivan, third Sunday morning and night.

Cayneville, fourth Sunday morning and night.

Strangers welcome.

Rev. E. B. Blackburn—

Mt. Olivet, first Sunday and Saturday before.

Blackburn, second Sunday and Saturday before.

Enon, third Sunday and Saturday before.

Crooked Creek, Fourth Sunday and Saturday before.

Rev. U. G. Hughes—

Emmaus, first Sunday and Saturday before.

Sugar Creek, second Sunday and Saturday before.

Baker, third Sunday and Saturday before.

Old Salem, fourth Sunday and Saturday before.

Eld. W. R. Gibbs—

Carrsville, first Sunday and Saturday night before.

Lola, second Sunday and Saturday before.

Dyers Hill, third Sunday and Saturday before.

Liberty, Lyon county, fourth Sunday and Saturday before.

Strangers welcome.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

SMART LAD.

A schoolmaster offered a prize to the boy who could write the best composition in five minutes, on "How to overcome habit." This is what was written by a 9-year old boy, who won the prize: 'Well sir, habit is hard to overcome. If you take off the first letter it does not change 'abit'. If you take off another you still have a 'bit' left. If you take off another the whole of 'it' remains. If you take off another it is not wholly used up, all of which goes to show that if you want to get rid of a habit you must throw it off altogether.'

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BREAKS RECORD.

Couple Marry After Six Hours Acquaintance.

Owensboro, Ky., Nov. 5.—With an acquaintance of less than six hours, Mr. Samuel Bottom, of Louisville, and Miss Willie Alexander were married at the home of Prof. Wayland Alexander, on Mulberry street at 8 o'clock tonight. It is without a doubt the most romantic marriage that ever occurred in Owensboro.

Mr. Bottom was in the city on business, and as he is related to the Alexander family he called at their home to see them. Miss Alexander is a niece of Prof. Alexander, and was visiting there for a few days. It was at the dinner table she met her future husband.

After the meal was finished he said he would like to take a buggy ride and asked if any of the young ladies would accompany him. It was the young visitor who accepted the invitation. The couple spent nearly three hours in riding about the beautiful lanes and woods of Daviess county in the autumn sunlight. By dusk they were engaged. They returned to the city and announced the fact to the Alexander family.

The couple said they wished to be married at once. Rev. E. H. Gabby, pastor of the Walnut street Baptist church was called in and after the county clerk had been secured to issue the license, the ceremony was performed. The bride is a member of one of the most prominent families in this section of the State. The young couple are registered at the Rulif house tonight and will leave for Louisville in the morning.

Do Good—it Pays.

A Chicago man has observed that "Good deeds are better than real estate—some of the latter are worthless. Act kindly and gently, show sympathy and lend a helping hand. You cannot possibly lose by it." Most men appreciate a kind word and encouragement more than substantial help. There are persons in this community who might truthfully say: "My good friend cheer up. A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will rid you of your cold, and there is no danger whatever from pneumonia when you use that medicine. It always cures. I know it for it has helped me out many a time." Sold by Woods & Orme.

TRIBUNE.

The drought is at last broken and farmers are busy preparing their land for wheat.

J. M. Walker and wife of Gladstone, visited F. L. Travis of this place Oct. 8th.

W. N. Travis and family have returned from Missouri. Travis reports a fine country, but he failed to get a house to live in, hence his early return.

J. E. Travis has moved to his property recently occupied by his father, W. N. Travis, who has moved to his farm on Piney.

Quite a strong wind and rain passed through this section on the 7th, blowing down some fences and unroofing Dr. Thos. Perkins' stable.

John N. Clark, of Marion, was in these parts on the 7th, taking mineral leases.

Working roads seems to be the order of the day in this vicinity since the rain.

There will be very little wheat sown in this community this year.

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CARRSVILLE.

Quite a number of our people are sick, among them Messrs. Geo Sharp and Jno Kemble.

J. R. Stalious and wife of this place, J. J. May and family, and R. King and family of near town, attended the conference of the M. E. church at Marion last week.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs, of the Baptist church preached here last Sunday.

Protracted meeting is now going on at the Christian church here.

Louis Rutter of Paducah, and Miss Edie Holloman were married at the home of the bride's parents last Wednesday. They left on the Dunbar immediately after the marriage for Paducah, where Mr. Rutter has a position. We wish them a long and happy life.

Our popular sheriff, P. H. Bush paid us a visit last Saturday.

We notice a mistake in the items from this place last week in regard to the school. The article should have read, the school is progressing nicely under the management of Prof. Calvin and Miss Malie Yates.

The Salve That Heals

Without leaving a scar is DeWitt's. The only Witch Hazel Salve made that contains the pure unadulterated witch hazel. If any other Witch Hazel Salve is offered you it is a counterfeit. E. C. DeWitt invented Witch Hazel Salve and DeWitt's Witch Hazel is the best salve in the world for cuts, burns, bruises, tetter or blist, bleeding, itching or protruding piles. Sold by all druggists.

PENNILESS, RETURNS HOME.

Owensboro, Oct. 10.—Bessie Arms, the sixteen-year-old daughter of W. H. Arms, who was abducted seven months ago by a woman, and who was arrested in Atlanta, arrived home today without a cent of money. She says that she tried to write home many times but that the woman who had charge of her would destroy the letters. She said the woman was arrested at Nashville for grand larceny and jumped her bond. Her bondsmen followed and caught her at Atlanta. The girl says they traveled all through the South and stopped at the best hotels and never paid a bill.

LETTER FROM R. COFFIELD.

DEAR EDITOR: We did not get the PRESS last week. Wish I could see my old friends in Crittenden county. Tell Mr. William Wilson I often think of the hunts we used to take on old Hurricane.

Not only do I think about the hunting but of many old friends that used to be with us in the chase; many of them have left us.

Wish you prosperity in your new business. My respects to family and to Mr. William Wilson.

R. COFFIELD.

O. MR. BELKNAP.

O. Mr. Belknap, business man, Tell me, truly, if you can, Is the sermon of Munfordville, Like unto a sugared pill? If we swallow all you say, Will the coating wear away, Leaving pardons to be showered On Messrs. Youtsey, Powers and Howard?

And if you gain the high position, Will you make a requisition, Bringing to our state for trial Those who've left it for awhile? At things commercial, interstate, I've heard it said you're simply great;

It should not then be brain dis-turbin'.

For you to get the best of Durbin.

You promise us a "new nobility" Composed of business and civility, Nobles, with no time for play,

Business, business, all the day.

You'd give us, too, an "ideal" state Business early—business late,

Business for our text and creed,

Business, business, business greed.

But when the state you "reawaken"

And she's pulsing, business shaken

Won't you give us martial rule

And a big Berea school?

But, Mr. Belknap, business man,

You may be an "also ran"

And if, perchance, you are so un-lucky.

We'll still have left our "Old Ken-tucky."

O. Mr. Belknap, business man,

You sure will be an "also ran,"

And Beckham's pace election day,

Will melt your frozen smile away.

—Bill Billious in Louisville Times.

Dieting Invites Disease

To cure Dyspepsia or indigestion it is no longer necessary to live on milk and toast. Starvation produces such weakness that the whole system becomes an easy prey to disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that one cares to eat, and is a never failing cure for indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by all druggists.

THE CHILD'S ROOM.

In The Delineator for October there is a helpful article on furnishing the child's room. As the writer says, more than in any other room in the house the ordinary rules and conventions may be put aside for the purpose of introducing the element of interest. Among the practical suggestions for the playroom are a picture frieze, or a wainscot of picture paper—giving the history of Red Riding Hood and the Three Little Kittens or Kate Greenway's Mouths, or other children's tales—a toy chest covered with chintz, also interesting from a pictorial standpoint, and furniture adapted in height to the size of the child. In all the furnishings the child's taste should be considered as there is natural talent to be developed.

A Perfect Painless Pill

is the one that will cleanse the system, set the liver to action, remove the bile, clear the complexion, cure headache and leave a good taste in the mouth. The famous little pills for doing such work pleasantly and effectually are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Bob Moore of Lafayette, Ind., says: "All other pills I have used gripe and sicken, while DeWitt's Little Early Risers are simply perfect." Sold by all druggists.

Japanese Washerwomen.

The Japanese rip their garments apart for every washing, and they iron their clothes by spreading them on a flat board and leaning this up against the house to dry. The sun takes the wrinkles out of the clothes and some of them have quite a luster. The Japanese woman does her washing out of doors and her wash tub is not more than six inches high. The hardest worked washerwoman in the world are the Coreans. They have to wash about a dozen dresses for their husbands and they have plenty to do. The washing is usually done in cold water and often in running streams. The clothes are pounded with paddles until they shine like a shirt front from a laundry.

ROBBERY HAS COMMENCED.

Breathitt county's feud district holds no such terrors as a St. Louis barber shop, according to R. C. Coffman, of Calhoon, who was in St. Louis the other day. Coffman stated that soon after his arrival he entered a barber shop. There he says, he was persuaded to avoid the dangerous germs and microbes of St. Louis by having his hair cut, shave, shampoo, massage and his shoes shined. The barber, he says, advised these as calculated to greatly improve his appearance. When all was finished at last Coffman inquired the price and says that he was informed that \$7.30 was the usual price, but a stranger Coffman paid but \$6.15.

"Why, I could get as much done at home for 50 cents," said Coffman in amazement.

"Well, you are not at home now; you are in the World's Fair city," Coffman says the barber replied, "and you had better cough up quick."

Several barbers gathered around him and Coffman became alarmed. He paid the money, he says, and reported the case. The police arrested Burton D. Blackford, whom Coffman identified as the man who had charged the exorbitant price. Coffman, however, did not remain in town to prosecute the case.

Run a Nail Through His Hand.

While opening a box J. C. Mount, of Three Mile Bay, N. Y., ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand "I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause me," he says "and immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were soon healed." For sale by Woods & Orme.

HISTORY AS IT HAPPENS.

Why does the democratic idea of equality, helpfulness, and self-helpfulness make its way with most difficulty among our educated classes of the college bred variety? Not altogether because a man with the priceless treasure of a complete education, formally signed and sealed over to him by the faculty of wise men, realizes that he has thus been elevated far above his fellow beings less fortunate, has been transmogrified into a creature of finer clay; for the full explanation we must look to the writers and teachers of history. How rarely do they tell the story as it was. How often do they gloss over the revolting tyrannies and vices of the cold and cruel kings, warriors, statesmen, ruling classes. How often do they take these things which, rightly presented, would rouse the indignant contempt of generous youth, and so present them that tyranny seems courage high spirit, robbery and murder seem the fascinating pastimes of men of noble mould, idle, viciousness and parasitism seem the elegant modes of true "gentlemen," and "ladies."

Miswritten, mistaught history is responsible for much of the failure to appreciate the grandeur of fair and equal dealing, for much of the sneaking admiration for repulsive evils tricked out in the bright garments of crude or perverted imagination.

NAMED FOR THREE STATES.

Middlesboro, Ky.—Mrs. Carey Slusher, a country woman, who lives near Big Stone Gap, West Virginia, presented her husband with three lusty sons. Mrs. Slusher will name the boys Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia, because she lives on the line of the three States.

A Thoughtful Man.

M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c at Woods & Orme.

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HOME FROM GUATEMALA.

Boys, Here's Your Chance.

New Orleans, La. Oct. 5.—Leslie B. Combs, Jr., son of the United States Minister to Guatemala, arrived on the steamship Breakwater today from Puerto Barrios, en route to his home in Lexington, Ky. He is the first of the Combs family to return since their departure to Guatemala last January. Mr. Combs says his father is in excellent health, and that he has succeeded in popularizing himself with the Guatemalan Government and people as well.

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There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the Salves you ever heard of Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best.

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OBITUARY.

Edgar W. Phillips, the subject of this sketch, was born in Crittenden county December the 25th, 1866, died October 1st, 1903. He leaves a wife and five children and several sisters and two brothers, besides a host of friends to mourn their loss.

Ed., as he was familiarly called, was a good husband, a kind and affectionate father, and a generous neighbor, always willing to lend a helping hand.

He professed religion about the year 1889 and lived a true Christian life until his death. While not a public man, yet by his amiable disposition he gained the love of those with whom he came in contact. He was ever ready to assist any one who might be in distress. He was never known to do anything willfully wrong; no beggar was ever known to leave his door empty handed; there were few, if any, like him. Yet while it grieves us to part with him, we resign ourselves to the will of the Lord, knowing that He doeth all things well.

A BROTHER.

You Know What You are Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

THE LATEST COLORS.

New shades are in evidence now that the fall styles are shown by exclusive dealers.

A list of the new colors includes Louise brown, a tint lighter than Havana; Broadway ivory, a very deep cream; mer grande, a light royal blue; national crimson, a faint red, and Scotch green, a shade lighter than the ever popular hunter's green.

For a pleasant physic take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy to take. Pleasant in effect. For sale by Woods & Orme.

A Grand Democratic Rally!

GOV. J. C. W. BECKHAM, HON. O. M. JAMES and WM. P. THORNE will address the people on the Political Issues of the day at the Court House, MARION, KY. at 1 o'clock,

Friday, October 16, 1903.

Everybody invited to come and hear the living issues ably discussed.

Local News.

Gossipy Letters From all Sections of the County.

TOLU.

Health generally good. Robt Lear sold his town property to Scott Paris for \$475.

Mrs. Riggs and Miss Rosa Ledbetter of Hardin county, Ill., are visiting relatives here.

Drs. Gray and Smith were here Friday.

Will James has moved to the Hoover property.

Morris Paris and Miss Mima Weldon attended church at Pleasant Hill Sunday, stopping over with Mrs. J. C. Long of Chapel Hill Sunday night.

Saturday was republican day and Edgar Bozeman says that there was not enough people left on Flatlick to kill a beef.

Geo. Rush, postmaster at Brookport, Ill., was here Friday.

B M George was in town Saturday.

Lacy Wade, formerly of this county, but now traveling salesman for Weeks Bros. of Paducah, was in town Saturday.

L. A. Weldon is having chills.

C. G. Humphrey is gone to Caruthersville, Mo., again.

J. E. Bozeman has bought a big lot of timber from J M Belt, which he will have made into railroad ties.

Wash Cruce and Louis Todd have returned home.

Kit Shepherd has moved his family from the island to his home in this place.

Mrs. Dr. Clement and Mrs. D. B. Mantz made an overland trip to Carrsville and return Saturday.

Bro. Martin filled his appointment here Sunday.

Bob Flanary, of Marion, was here recently talking insurance to our natives.

Mrs. Laura McFarlin returned Sunday from E'town, where she had been at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Hunter.

J. J. Thomas and family visited the family of George Gass Sunday.

Levi Cook and wife were in this place Sunday.

Uncle George Mott, father of James Mott, was here Sunday on his way to his home at Rosi Clair, Ill. He is 87 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nation have lost two children with diphtheria; their other two children have it but are improving. There is no more cases in their neighborhood.

CRAYNEVILLE,

Born to the wife of Len Farley, a boy.

Mrs Lula Carington is up again. Born to the wife of Sylus Jacobs, a girl.

Ed Graves has returned to his home in Tennessee.

Burt Crayne's baby fell and sprained its arm last week.

P H Deboe, wife and two daughters, were visiting at J M McCaslin's Saturday and Sunday.

Uncle John Matthews was here recently.

Sister E J. Sheeks of Memphis, Tenn., preached here Sunday. We with her many friends wish her success.

STARR.

This community turned out in mass to hear Owens speak.

Joe Turley is going to Kansas.

The protracted meeting begins at Piney Creek next Sunday. Rev.

E. B. Blackburn will assist the pastor, Rev. Vaughn in the service.

The trustee election here resulted in the election of two trustees, M W Ethridge and J B McNeely.

Johnnie Hill is out on a western tour.

J A McCormic is pushing his house on to completion.

Well Mr. Editor we haven't much to write this week, but we are pleased to say there is no sickness or deaths to report, so we will stop right here.

IRMA.

Health is very good in this section.

After being blessed by a good rain the farmers are preparing for a wheat crop.

F E Hoover has moved to his farm from Tolu.

An infant child of W L Hoover died last week.

Lige Franklin and family were the guests of A B McMaster and family Saturday and Sunday.

George Rice and wife visited friends in this section Sunday.

The singing at Irma was largely attended Monday.

The protracted meetings have all closed.

School is progressing nicely as T B Woolsey as teacher.

Miss Delia Farmer, of Marion, visited her sister Mrs. S. E. McMaster last week.

VIEW.

Mrs W B Binkley has been ill several days.

The overseers have been putting in good time on their roads for the past two or three weeks.

One of Jos Mullinax's boys was thrown from a horse last week, spraining his arm.

Dave Henson, of Salem, was in this section.

Mrs Nancy Millican has a daughter on the sick list.

J C Matthews hauled something over \$126 worth of spar last month from the Hodge mine to Crayneville. Uncle Jimmie says he may haul more spar than he does but when pay day comes he will draw the most money.

Mont Davenport and wife visited relatives near Marion Sunday.

We have had some frost but not enough to hurt anything.

MEXICO.

Rev R A LaRue filled his regular appointment at Sulphur Spring Sunday.

Miss Harriet Polk is ill.

Haze Woodall, of the Frances neighborhood, will move to Mexico soon.

Edmon Roston commenced work at the Bibb's mine Monday.

J T Nelson reached home Wednesday from Tennessee.

Mrs Mary Thomas of the Sulphur Springs neighborhood, is to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Linda Bibb, who is not expected to live.

OAK HALL.

M O Eskew is building a fine large barn, 50x60 feet.

We are giving our section of the Marion and Ford Ferry road a good working under the supervision of R H Butler.

Willie Low, of Indianapolis, was visiting at J E Dean's recently.

Col. Roberts has struck a hand-some vein of spar and lead in his shaft in the sinks. Dean and Wilson are also meeting with encouragement in their new shaft.

Ed Robinson expects to dispose of his farm at a handsome figure to mineral parties.

We are glad to report Miss Emma Terry able to take charge of her school at Glendale.

The acreage of wheat sown in this section will be small this season.

W G Conditt was elected trustee at the recent election in this district.

Newt. Bracey, G W Jackson and Mrs. Joel Pickens have sold their farms to parties who expect to convert said farms into a goat ranch.

FLATROCK.

There was an interesting singing at the church Sunday night.

Walter Moore, John Terrell, J. M Spickard, Tom Vinson, Bob Lent, and several others went to Marion Saturday.

J M Maxwell and J T Morgan went to J W Throckmorton in the Farmersville neighborhood Sunday.

Dr. Leeper, of Fredonia, was in this neighborhood Monday morning.

Luther Spickard is getting along nicely with his school.

CHAPEL HILL.

Mr. Arlop and C. A. Walker were guests of Mrs. Joe Parr, of Caldwell county Saturday and Sunday.

Sowing wheat is the order of the day in this beat; it is predicted now there will be an average crop sown in this neighborhood.

Mont Davenport and wife, of View, visited Bart Brown of this place Sunday.

Miss Edith Daniels from Marion was the guest of Everett Beabout's family Sunday.

Robert Dunn and wife of Prince ton, was visiting relatives in this neighborhood Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs J. C. Long and son John visited J. W. Linn of Sheridan Saturday and Sunday.

After an absence of some ten days Mr. Bart Brown returned home from Tennessee, where he has been visiting his relatives.

Lee Hughes is erecting a fine grain and stock barn.

J C. Minner and wife were visitors at Wm. Clark's of Gak Grove this last week.

"KANSAS OR BUST."

For sale, good farm of 112 acres 6 miles east of Marion, on Piney and Princeton road, 25 acres of it fresh, 1.4 mile from Hill Spring and Piney church, 15 acres in timber, good spring 150 yards from house in 5 acre wood lot, never goes dry; well in yard, good peach, apple, pear and plum orchard. House of logs two stories high and kitchen, also new front rooms and porches, tenant house, barns, stable, smoke house, granary, and all necessary fencing.

Thos. J. Rowland, Enon, Ky.

NEW SALEM.

Mrs Lisle McWhirter has returned home from a two week's visit to relatives near Nashville, Tenn.

Fred Kirk is erecting a residence on his farm.

Harris Austin and family have returned home from a visit to relatives in Pope county, Ill.

Our road section is again in tip top order, our supervisor having given it an old fashion working the past week.

Charley Millikan, of Livingston has moved on the farm of Bob Mahan.

Uncle Fred Caperton has commenced the erection of a residence on the farm of his son in law, Jim Mahan.

Tom Harpding is the first farmer to finish sowing wheat.

Jo Davenport, we understand, will occupy the Jo Pace farm the coming year.

There will be about 40 per cent of a wheat crop sown in this section.

Well, the PRESS continues to improve with each issue; it is an up-to-date paper, and don't you forget it.

Jesse Tyner has returned home much improved in health.

MATTOON.

The farmers are now sowing wheat and oats.

Bill Crider and wife of Missouri are visiting relatives here.

John Franks will leave shortly for Arkansas.

The road overseers are getting their roads in fine shape around here.

Mis Cora Roberts, who has been dangerously ill for several weeks, is improving.

Col. Roberts will at once open a shaft on the farm of G. D. Summerville.

Mrs. Kate Stringer and Miss Maud Summerville, of Tennessee, who have been visiting relatives here, returned home Monday.

Wm. Manly and family visited relatives at Carrsville Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ada Duvall, who has been very sick with fever, is convalescing.

Mrs. Minnie Burton left here recently for New Braunfels, Ill., where she will join her husband.

JOY.

The protracted meeting at the tabernacle conducted by Revs. Brown and Ball closed Sunday night with several conversions.

Abb Morley is mail carrier at present.

J W Wilson, of Carrsville, has rented temporary quarters at J B Lawless.

Lawrence Bishop sells goods for cash except gloves. They all go on a credit.

This seems to be a favorite route for emigrants for the west and run away couples from Kuttawa.

Rob. Thompson's distillery is now in running order.

G S Faulkner has a very sick child, but at last reports was improving.

Joy Milling Co., have completed their grain elevator and it provided to a butcher shop.

Dr. O. R. Kidd and wife of Carrsville, paid us a visit Sunday evening.

Telephone Poles Wanted.

The Peoples Independent Telephone company want 150 post oak or white oak telephone poles scattered along the roadway from Salem to Marion. Poles to be 25 feet long and not less than 6 inches in diameter at the small or top end, and peeled. For further particulars see or write to

Robt. Boyd, Salem, Ky.

LOLA.

Diphtheria is raging in the country near here; two of Mr. Nation's children died a few days ago with the disease.

The spelling at the school house was a success.

Bro. Smithson began protracted meeting here Sunday.

There is talk of five new buildings going up in our town.

Miss Hanley, of New Orleans, is the guest of Mrs. Foley this week.

They have struck a fine vein of zinc at Davis & Key's mine, near Lola.

Little Tracy Clifford, who has been ill a long time is now improving.

Little Reby Tolly, who has been on the sick list for some time, is improving.

Mr. Hays was feeling the effects of a severe sore throat, and did not undertake to speak. He is a relative of our fellow townsman J. B. Kevil, and is a man of much ability and of solid, old fashioned manner, which attracts people to him. On the streets of Marion he attracted attention, and looked as perfectly at home as when walking in the shade of Pine mountain on the streets of Pineville, his home, which is on Cumberland river probably 600 miles above where its our southern boundary.

What We Want To Buy



Butter, 10c to 15c per lb. Eggs, 12c per doz. and up. Poultry, changeable. Sorghum.

Dried Fruit—get our prices. Dried Berries.

Irish Potatoes. Sweet Potatoes

Onions. Rags.

Feathers. Tallow.

Ginseng. Pink Root.